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Assignee: Intel Corporation Customer No: 21186

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed March 17, 2004, Applicants hereby elect, without traverse, the species of Group II and Figure 9, claims 6-10 and 16-20. Applicants reserve the right to seek generic claims to cover other species and to introduce further claims drawn to additional species having all of the features of an allowed generic claim pursuant to Rule 37 CFR 1.141.

Applicants reserve the right to reintroduce the non-elected claims in one or more divisional applications at a later date.

The Examiner is invited to telephone Applicants' attorney Charles Steffey at (612) 373-6970 to facilitate the prosecution of this application. If necessary, please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0743.

Respectfully submitted,

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